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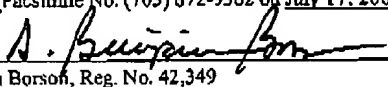
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AMENDMENT

This RESPONSE is filed in response to an Office Action mailed June 17, 2003. The Examiner issued a Restriction Requirement as follows:

- I. Claim 40-49 are, drawn to method of making a window, classified in class 29, subclass 569.
- II. Claim 17-39, 51-59, 64, 65 are drawn to Window Material, classified in class 052, subclass 171.3

The Examiner also issued a requirement for Election of Species as follows should the applicant Elect Group II:

Species 1 soluble matrix claims 23, 31, 35; and

Species 2 insoluble matrix claim 24.

Applicants herein elect to prosecute Group II claims 17-40, 51-59, 64, 65 and Species 1, soluble matrix. Applicant withdraws claims 24 without prejudice being drawn to non-elected inventions. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute the withdrawn claims in divisional applications.